

Transmission of
recommendations.

SEC. 10. The Secretary of State shall upon the receipt from the Commission of any recommendation of a conservation measure made in accordance with article IV of the Convention transmit a copy of the recommendation with his comments thereon to the Governor of each Great Lakes State for consideration and such action as may be found to be appropriate. The Secretary of State shall also inform such other public agencies as he may deem appropriate.

Agency coopera-
tion.

SEC. 11. Any agency of the United States Government is authorized to cooperate with the United States Section in the conduct of research programs and related activities and, on a reimbursable or other basis, to enter into agreements with the United States Section for the purpose of assisting it in carrying out the program for the control of lamprey populations.

State laws and
regulations.

SEC. 12. Nothing in this Act shall be construed as preventing any of the Great Lakes States from making or enforcing laws or regulations within their respective jurisdictions so far as such laws or regulations do not conflict with the Convention or this Act.

Appropriation.

SEC. 13. There is hereby authorized to be appropriated from time to time such sums as may be necessary for carrying out the purposes and provisions of the Convention and this Act.

Separability.

SEC. 14. If any provision of this Act or the application of such provision to any circumstances or persons shall be held invalid, the validity of the remainder of the Act and the applicability of such provision to other circumstances or persons shall not be affected thereby.

Approved June 4, 1956.

Public Law 558

CHAPTER 359

June 4, 1956
[H. J. Res. 261]

JOINT RESOLUTION

Authorizing the Secretary of the Army to donate surplus supplies and equipment for memorial purposes to The Citadel, Charleston, South Carolina.

The Citadel, S.C.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, notwithstanding any other provision of law, the Secretary of the Army is authorized to donate to The Citadel, the Military College of South Carolina, such ordnance field pieces (tanks and guns) used in World War II or during the Korean conflict and captured enemy materiel as are available and determined by him to be appropriate for use by that college for memorial purposes.

Approved June 4, 1956.

Public Law 559

CHAPTER 360

June 4, 1956
[H. R. 1779]

AN ACT

To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct, operate, and maintain the Juniper division of the Wapinitia Federal reclamation project, Oregon.

Wapinitia Fed-
eral reclamation
project, Oreg.
Construction.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, for the purpose of furnishing water for the irrigation of approximately two thousand and one hundred acres of arid land in Wasco County, Oregon, the Secretary of the Interior is authorized to construct, operate, and maintain the Juniper division of the Wapinitia Federal reclamation project in accordance with the provisions of the Federal reclamation laws (Act of June 17, 1902, 32 Stat. 388, and Acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto). The Secretary is further authorized to investigate,

43 USC 371 note.

plan, and construct the minimum basic facilities required for access by the visiting public to, and for the protection of its health and safety and of public property on, lands withdrawn or acquired for the Juniper division. The costs thereof, in the amount of not more than \$34,870, shall be nonreimbursable and nonreturnable.

SEC. 2. There are hereby authorized to be appropriated for construction of the Juniper division \$563,000, plus such amounts, if any, as may be required by reason of changes in the cost of construction of the types involved therein as shown by engineering cost indices and, in addition thereto, such sums as are required to operate and maintain the division.

Approved June 4, 1956.

Appropriation.

Public Law 560

CHAPTER 361

AN ACT

To authorize a \$100 per capita payment to members of the Red Lake Band of Chippewa Indians from the proceeds of the sale of timber and lumber on the Red Lake Reservation.

June 4, 1956
[H. R. 5478]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior is authorized to withdraw as much as may be necessary from the fund on deposit in the Treasury of the United States arising from the proceeds of the sale of timber and lumber within the Red Lake Reservation in Minnesota, according to the provisions of the Act of May 18, 1916 (39 Stat. 137), to the credit of the Red Lake Indians in Minnesota, and to pay therefrom \$100 to each member of the Red Lake Band of Chippewa Indians of Minnesota who is living at the date of enactment of this Act. Such payment shall be made under such rules and regulations as the Secretary of the Interior may prescribe.

Red Lake Reservation, Minn.
Per capita payments.

SEC. 2. No money paid to Indians under this Act shall be subject to any lien or claim of attorneys or other persons. Before any payment is made under this Act, the Red Lake Band of Chippewa Indians of Minnesota shall, in such manner as may be prescribed by the Secretary of the Interior, ratify and accept the provisions of this Act.

Restriction.
Ratification.

SEC. 3. Payments made under this Act shall not be held to be "other income and resources" as that term is used in sections 2 (a) (7), 402 (a) (7), and 1002 (a) (8) of the Social Security Act, as amended (U. S. C., 1946 edition, title 42, secs. 302 (a) (7), 602 (a) (7), and 1202 (a) (8)).

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1379; 64 Stat. 553.

Approved June 4, 1956.

Public Law 561

CHAPTER 362

AN ACT

To provide for the relief of certain members of the Army and Air Force, and for other purposes.

June 4, 1956
[H. R. 5652]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That commissioned officers of the Regular Army or Regular Air Force (except those appointed pursuant to the Act of December 28, 1945 (59 Stat. 663)), as amended, who, subsequent to August 31, 1946, and prior to the date of enactment of this Act, were absent from duty by authority of the Secretary concerned for any period after their acceptance of appointment

Army and Air Force.
Certain pay and allowance relief.